

PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT REVIEW FORM

SITE NAME: RFE Industries
ALIASES:
ADDRESS: Aetna Street
CITY: Jersey City
COUNTY: Hudson
STATE: N.J.
PRIORITY RATING GIVEN: Medium
(BY STATE OR CONTRACTOR)

AGREE: ☒
DISAGREE:
(CHECK ONE)

IF DISAGREE, WHY?

OTHER COMMENTS:

FACILITY: Active electronic refinery located at the foot of Jersey Ave along Morris canal.

CHARACTERISTICS: Facility reclaims gold from dross and electrical equipment. Plant has been cited for illegally discharging wastewater into canal in 1980. RFE used leaching pit at rear of the plant to reclaim metals. Pit was removed in 1981 but no soil remediation was undertaken. Hazardous substances include lead, Hydrochloric acid and potassium cyanide.

HAZARDS: Potential groundwater and soil contamination due to leaching pit. Observed surface water and soil contamination as leaching pit was never removed.

RECOMMENDATION: surface water and soil contamination as leaching pit was never removed.

MEDIUM PRIORITY

REVIEWER:

DATE:

James J. Appolito
7/18/86

